

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
STATESBORO DIVISION**

RUSSELL GAITHER,

Plaintiff,

v.

BRAD HOOKS,

Defendant.

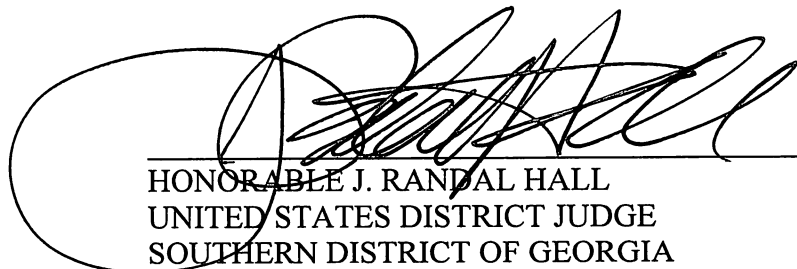
CIVIL ACTION NO.: 6:16-cv-9

ORDER

After an independent and *de novo* review of the entire record, the undersigned concurs with the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation, (doc. 17), to which Plaintiff filed Objections, (doc. 25). Accordingly, the Court **ADOPTS** the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation as the opinion of the Court and **OVERRULES** Plaintiff's Objections.

The Court **DISMISSES** Plaintiff's Complaint, without prejudice, and **DENIES** Plaintiff leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* on appeal. The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk of Court to enter the appropriate judgment of dismissal and to **CLOSE** this case.

SO ORDERED, this 26th day of September, 2016.



HONORABLE J. RANDAL HALL
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA